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SUBJECT

Government Servants conduct Rules-
Immovable property held or
acquired by Govt Servants—

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Sri N. Madhava Rao, B.A.,
Commissioner of Incometax
in Mysore.

New Public Offices,
Bangalore,
31st Oct.1949.

C O N F I D E N T I A L .

D.O.No.Spl.Regr.15/49-50.
Enc.1.

Dear Sri Srinivasan,

I enclose, for the information of Government, a copy of confidential letter dated the 31st instant - received from Sri A.V.Krishnamurthy, B.A., B.Com., Deputy Commissioner of Incometax and Sales Tax, Bangalore Urban Division, detailing the circumstances connected with the purchase and reconstruction of a house in Basavangudi - Extension.

Yours sincerely
N. Madhava Rao

Sri K. Srinivasan, B.Sc.,
Chief Secretary to the Government
of H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore,
Bangalore.

A. V. Kristnamurti,
Deputy Commissioner
of Incometax.

"Gururaja Prasada",
Basavangudi,
Bangalore 4.

31-10-49.

CONFIDENTIAL.

Dear Sir,

As you are aware, I have purchased a house at Basavangudi, with the help of a Govt. advance. The house itself was purchased for Rs.30,000/-and the advance given by Government was Rs.10,000/-. The balance was made good by the sale of two sites which I owned in what is known as Tata Silk Farm Extension, one for Rs.6,000/- and another for Rs.5,000/- and sale of securities and stocks. The title deed of the property and other documents have been deposited with the Deputy Comr. of the Bangalore Urban District.

As the house required repairs, the improvement work was undertaken. I expected that the cost of improvement and repair would not exceed Rs.10,000/-. I therefore raised a loan of Rs.7,500/- with the House Building Co-operative Society, Bangalore and took an overdraft of Rs.2,000/- in the Indian Overseas Bank, Bangalore City. Both are recognised public institutions, transactions with which it is not necessary to report. I now find that the expenses of improvement came to about Rs.30,000/-. I have therefore borrowed money further as under:-

Rs.5,000/- from A. Atmaramasetty of Dodballapur
Rs.5,000/- from Messrs.Devatha Venkataramiah & Sons.

I realised about Rs.2,000/- on the sale of old materials and raised a loan of Rs.12,000/- on the security of certain holdings with the Indian Bank,Ltd.

The former Sri A. Atmaramasetty is not in my jurisdiction. He is a resident of Dodballapur and is within the jurisdiction of the Deputy Commissioner of Incometax, Bangalore District. The second party is in my jurisdiction. It is the same party as from whom I purchased the house.

The debts are proposed to be cleared on the realisation of my Insurance Policy amounts and after sale of investments. The Society Loan is to be discharged

discharged in 120 instalments(monthly). I have no other property in the State except about 80 acres of land at Mandagere which is lying fallow. I have already declared this property to Govt.

The property now purchased and improved if sold would fetch a few thousands more than what I have invested. I have considered it my duty to intimate to you these transactions so that there may be no speculation in any quarter as to how such a property could be owned by a Government officer without the knowledge of Government or the Departmental Head.

If any further information is required connected with this property, I will be ready to furnish.

Yours sincerely,

Sd/- A.V.Kristnamurti.

N. Madhava Rao, Esq., B.A.,-
Commissioner of Incometax in Mysore,
Bangalore.

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N. Madhava Rao

Commissioner of Incometax.

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for ~~approval~~. perusal.
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2) The O. M. to be issued, if any, should cover Arts. 278 and 279 also.

3) Before considering the question of issuing an O.M. please examine further with refce.

N.B.—Should routine notes be written on small slips, the notes must be copied, or slips pasted on this form.

Routine Notes.

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to Art. 288. A Copy of the form prescribed in Appendix 12 may please be put up.

4) Please see whether the declaration prescribed in Art. 287 is independent of the Regn. referred to in Art. 288, and if so, whether there are any other rules bearing on the matter e.g. Is the declaration to be made each time a property is acquired or once a year, half-year or Quarter?

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5) Subd. Appendix 12 referred to in Art. 288 is herewith put up. (Vide Part II of the manual placed below). This is an annual register to be kept by all the Heads of Depts as required in Rule 23 (Art 288).

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6) Arts. 287 and 288 are independent of each other as the former relates to the declarations by the officers from time to time as they come in to possession of any immovable property and the latter is with reference to the annual register referred to in Para 5 above to be maintained by the Heads of Depts.

7) Arts 278 and 279 referred to in Para 2. above ~~refer~~ relate only to the borrowing and lending by officers from persons who will come under their authority.

8) Under the circumstances, a draft O.M. covering Rule 22 (Art 287) only is put up for approval.

MS 6.12.89 9) According to para 287 of the Govt. civil standing orders, every Govt servant must make to the Govt through the usual channel, a declaration of all immovable property in Mysore which may from time to time, be held or acquired by him or held and managed by his wife or by any member of his family living with or in any way dependent upon him.

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10) The Dy. comrs and Hds of Depts are ~~responsible~~ to keep a register of all lands held by themselves and their subordinates.

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The Asst Secy, Rev. Br is requested to intimate if declares as required by para 287 of the Rev. Circ Standing Orders are being received in the Rev Br. and the Register of lands is being maintained.

Asst Secy
Rev. (W)C

amR
13/12/49

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Declaration of the kind referred to in para 287 of the Manual of Circulars and Standing Orders are not being received in this Branch. Even if no property is held by any Trust, a declaration to that effect is necessary in terms of the Rule. If any property is held by any Trust, a declaration in terms of the Rule is necessary.

For [illegible]

Asst Secy (W)C
C.B.

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Subd. The Rev. Sect'r observes, that the general law as laid down in Chap. 28 to 287 of the Manual of Circulars with regard to holding of immovable property are being observed by the Govt. servants and that the declarations by them, as required in Rule 22 (Ord 287) from time to time are not being received.

(b) For orders, whether the C.M. proposed in Para 8 supra may issue in view of the position explained above.

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The Rev. Comr.

W.D. approved,

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may be consulted unofficially and his remarks obtained both as regards the existing position with reference to the Standing Orders and the O.M. proposed to be issued.

18) Chief Secy) asmk 17.12.49

17.12.49.

19) Yes. We need stmt - of all properties held, as on date, together with particulars of value, date of acquisition &c., from all Govt. offices.

20) R.C may be consulted.

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THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE No. A1 23 DEC 1949 OFFICE

L.O. Memo. No. 37/CB. dated the 23rd Dec 49

21) Forwarded w/c to the Revenue Commissioner for favour of remarks.

By order,
asm. Ramakrishnaiya
for Chief Secretary to Govt.

Pr. 465/4850.

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22) Returned with compliments.

Rules 22 and 23 of the Rules for the conduct of Government Servants are clear on the point. - - There seems to be some slackness in the observance of these Rules. The Official Memorandum in question will bring home to the Officers the need for - the strict observance of the existing Rules and may be issued.

2) In the Official Memorandum proposed to be issued attention is drawn to Rule 22 only. Under Rule 23 of the said Rules the Deputy Commissioners and Heads of Departments are requested to keep a Register of all lands held by themselves and their subordinates in the prescribed form. These Registers do not seem to have been properly maintained. It is therefore suggested that attention of all -- Officers may be drawn to Rule 23 also in the official Memorandum referred to above.

Revenue Commissioner.
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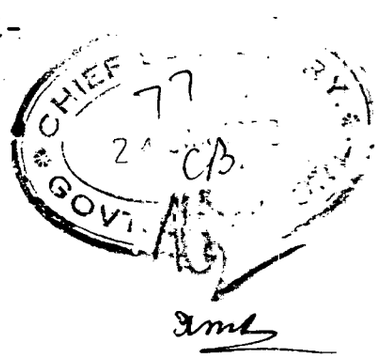

23) In view of the opinion expressed above by the Rev. Commr. attention of all officers may be drawn to Rule 23 also requiring the Heads of Depts and the D.C.s to maintain the registers of all lands held by them and their subordinates.

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24) The draft O.M. already proposed is suitably ~~addressed~~ revised for submit for approval.

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25) Chief Secy) 3.2.50.

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CHIEF SECRETARY 7-5-35 HYDERABAD GOVT. OF MYSORE

26) The rules are vague. They do not prescribe the period for which the returns shd be sent from time to time. We have to amend the rule & prescribe annual returns, to be sent to ~~Govt~~ Hds. of Depts before 15th January Each year. The returns shd. be addressed to the Hds. of Depts. who should send them, together with their own to Chief Secy by 20th Jany. without fail. The rules have to be amended, and a full set of returns shd be called for, for this year, & each year by 1.7.50.

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KMR 6/2/50

27) Subt. The Govt. Servants' Conduct Rules, that is in force now, has been ordered to be revised in order to keep pace with such rules that are in vogue in the neighbouring Province of Madras from whom a copy of the

Revision of Govt Servants' Conduct Rules.

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Revised Rules is received since here (vide linked file bearing C.B Diary no. 2417)

While taking up the revision of the Rules, apart from the study of the Revised Rules of the Madras Govt. it may become imperative to take note of the present relation of the State to the Union Govt and the conditions in the Services that are obtaining as a result of the changed circumstances. As such, the revision of the Rules may take up the whole time of an ~~officer for certain period~~ officer for a considerable period.

A | It is suggested that the revision may be taken up when the ~~strength~~ staff of the C.B. – ~~the proposal is under~~ ~~to under consideration~~ – is increased.

MB 8.2.50. 28) Separate proposals are under submission for reinforcing the staff of C.B. to meet the increased work.

O.N. A copy of O.M. issued is placed here with. The portions of the f/c containing further notings and correspondence has been sent to G.H. Branch for further action

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29) Chief Secy) Sd/ 8.2.50. Secy 9/2/50

30) We can call for steps pending revision of MS rules. 'B'

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Secy 9.2.50.

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Subd The subsequent portions of the f/c have been seperated for being sent to the ~~Govt~~/Bov. for further action. This may be recorded,

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Asst. Secy's instructions: "may be closed after noting about the O.M. issued"

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S.O.

GOVERNMENT OF MRSORE.

GENERAL AND REVENUE DEPARTMENTS.

O.M. No. 11078-11173—C.B. 288-49-1, dated 20th February 1950.

Rules for the Conduct of Government Servants.

Issues instructions regarding the observance of Rules 22 and 23 under the —— governing the control of immovable property held or acquired by Government Servants.

OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM

No. 11078-11173—C.B. 288-49-1, DATED BANGALORE,
THE 20TH FEBRUARY 1950.

Subject:—Government Servants' Conduct Rules—Immovable property held or acquired by Government Servants.

1. The attention of all Government servants is drawn to Rules 22 and 23 under the Rules for the conduct of Government Servants regarding immovable property held or acquired by them which are reproduced below.

2. Government observe that there has been some slackness in the observance of these Rules and direct that strict observance of the rules is obligatory.

3. Heads of Departments and Deputy Commissioners are requested to see that all officers under their control send declarations required under the rules to Government regularly and promptly and that the registers of all lands held by themselves and their subordinates are kept in the form prescribed in Appendix 12 of the Manual of General Circulars and Standing Orders. Extracts from these registers for the year 1949 in respect of all officers may be sent to the Chief Secretary to Government not later than 1st July 1950.

Rule 22.—Every Government servant or candidate for Government service must make to the Government, through the usual channel, a declaration of all immovable property in Mysore, which may, from time to time, be held or acquired by him or held and managed by his wife or by any member of his family living with, or in any way dependent upon him.

Such declaration should state the district within which the property is situated and should give such further information as the Government may, by general or special order, require.

Rule 23.—The Deputy Commissioners and the Heads of Departments are requested to keep a register of all lands held by themselves and their subordinates in the form prescribed in Appendix 12.

By Order of His Highness the Maharaja,

K. SRINIVASAN,
Chief Secretary to Government.

To—The Secretaries to Government.
The Heads of Departments.
The Deputy Commissioners of Districts.

Exd.—T.N.S.

APPENDIX 12.

Register showing Lands and Other Immovable Properties in Mysore held by the.....
and his subordinates for the year 19 -- 19 .

Paragraph 288—Rule 23.

Name of Holder	Name of Government officer to whom the holder is related and nature of relationship	Designation of the Office	Situation of the immovable property			Description of property				When and how obtained	Nature of the interest of the officer in the property	Arrangements made for the management of the property	Opinion of the Head of the office, whether they interfere with the discharge of the official duties of the officer	Remarks
			District	Taluk	Village	Survey number of khaneshumari	Dry, wet or garden in the case of land and kind of house, *i.e.*, terraced, mudroofed, etc., in the case of house property	Area	Assessment or Municipal tax					
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